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R. B. Tabakin, Plant Manager American Cyanamid Company P.O. Box 31 Linden, NJ 07036

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Dear Mr. Tabakin:

Closure Plan Approval, American Cyanamid Warehouse in Linden, EPA ID NO. NJT 350 010 229, CP-88-12

The Bureau of Hazardous Waste Engineering (the Bureau) has reviewed the closure plan dated January 27, 1988 and amendments dated March 29, 1988, for the hazardous waste drum storage area at American Cyanamid Warehouse in Linden. Based upon the Bureau's review, the closure plan and amendments are hereby approved.

The closure activities shall take place in accordance with the closure plan and amendments, the requirements set forth by N.J.A.C. 7:26-9.8, and the following conditions:

- All hazardous wastes shall be removed from the drum storage area for disposal off-site to an authorized facility within 90 days from the date of this approval.
- 2. Decontamination procedures shall begin within 90 days from the date of this approval. To decontaminate the drum storage area, a detergent and water wash will be used to clean the concrete pad. Any visible stains will be scrubbed then rinsed. All wash and rinse waters will be collected in containers then transferred to the Warners Plant. wastewaters will then be analyzed and discharged by permit to the Linden - Roselle Sewerage Authority (LRSA). The Warners Plant must meet the criteria set by the LRSA before discharging this wastewater.
- Decontamination procedures shall continue until all visible stains are The final wash and rinse waters shall be analyzed for TOC to confirm that this area is clean. The sample results shall be submitted to the Bureau within 60 days from the date of sampling.
- 4. The owner or operator shall complete the closure activities outlined in the closure plan within 180 days from the date of this approval.



- 5. American Cyanamid shall apply for any and all permits necessary pursuant to the New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq. and regulations promulgated thereunder concerning the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System, N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1 et seq.
- 6. A written certification by an independent, registered professional engineer (with the engineer's seal and signature) and also a certification from the owner or operator shall be provided to the Bureau within 210 days of the date of this approval. This certification shall document that all the closure procedures have been carried out in accordance with the approved closure plan.

Please note that the USEPA has the warehouse site's EPA ID Number listed as NJT 350 010 229 and not as NJT 000 027 912. Until the USEPA issues a permanent number, the facility shall use NJT 350 010 229 when referring to the warehouse site.

If you have any questions on these matters, please contact Jean Adragna of my staff at (609) 292-9880.

Very truly yours,

Frank Coolick, Assistant Director Hazardous Waste Regulation

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